

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Denis Martin et al.  
Application No. : 10/078,531  
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For : STREPTOCOCCUS PYOGENES POLYPEPTIDES AND  
CORRESPONDING DNA FRAGMENTS

Examiner : Patricia Ann Duffy, Ph.D.  
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated March 5, 2008, please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.